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Honorable Laura T. Swain United States District Court 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

> Re: United States v. Manuel Fernandez 07 Cr. 1069 (LTS)

Dear Judge Swain:

The Government writes to respectfully request, jointly with defense counsel, that the conference currently scheduled for May 9, 2008, be adjourned until a date convenient for the Court in June, 2008.

The Government requests that time be excluded for purposes of the Speedy Trial Act between May 9, 2008 and the new conference date. During this time, the defense will review discovery produced by the Government, and the parties will continue to discuss a possible resolution of the matter without need for trial. The Government makes this request with the consent of counsel for the defendant.

Very truly yours,

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The requested adjournment and growsian are granted as in the interest of pretice.

The conference is adjourned to

June 16, 2008, at 4:30pm and time. 15 goduded from speedy trial computations through that date.

HNUED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

SO ORDERED.